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TO : Chief, Intelligence School

DATE: 14 August 1956

FROM : Chief, Orientation & Briefing/IS/TR

SUBJECT: *Items of Interest for the Period  
8 August 1956 to 14 August 1956*

- 25X1 1. *The 17th Dependents' Briefing was conducted by C/OB/IS on  
6 and 7 August 1956. This was [redacted]  
attended by 16 persons.*

*All of the lecturers agreed that this was one of the most alert  
audiences of its kind.*

25X1 *Arrangements have been completed for the compensation of the  
ladies who give so freely of their time in making presentations  
at the Dependents' Briefing. [redacted] signed the necessary  
papers on 7 August 1956.*

25X1 [redacted] *suggested names of other ladies who might help  
in the future.*

2. *On Thursday, 9 August 1956, the CIA Introduction Program was  
conducted for 93 persons.*

*Audience evaluation: Far above average.*

*Attached is a detailed breakdown of those in attendance.*

3. *Preliminary planning and arrangements have been made for the  
Departmental Briefing on 28 August 1956. The audience at this  
particular program should be of very high caliber since it will  
include many from the policy desks of the Department of State.  
Even without the figures from the Army, 74 individuals from the  
other Departments and Agencies have signified their intention  
to be here.*

- 25X1 4. *When [redacted] indicated that he could not make his  
scheduled presentation at the Strategic Intelligence School, substi-  
tute arrangements were made. This matter was brought to the  
attention of [redacted] and was confirmed in writing,*
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*indicating that  
would divide up*

*subject and each take a part.*

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